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## Remarks

The above amendments have been introduced in order to restrict the examination of this application to the selected ten nucleic acid sequences. Applicant reserves the right to pursue the non-elected subject matter in later filed applications.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to direct questions concerning this application to the undersigned attorney at the telephone number appearing below.

Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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